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July Programs at Anythink Huron Street

THORNTON, Colo.—June 30, 2011—From superheroes to insect exploring, we've got something for all ages and interests this month at Anythink Huron Street.

mySummer Programs

Around the World with Ann Lincoln

Wednesday, July 6, 10-11 am & 1-2 pm

Take an imaginary trip around the world with the hilarious Ann Lincoln. Using her characteristic performance style, she engages audiences with comedy, magic, and more to transport them to faraway lands during this interactive show. All ages welcome.

Vampire 101

Wednesday, July 6, 3-4 pm

How vast is your knowledge of the undead? Vampire games and trivia will have you thirsty for more. Appropriate for grades 6-12. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Anythink Creations: Napkin Folding

Wednesday, July 6, 7-8 pm

Make your dinner table look as good as your cooking tastes! Have fun with some tips and tricks from napkin-folding experts. Appropriate for adults.

Summer Bug Safari

Monday, July 11, 6-7:30 pm

The Butterfly Pavilion brings their favorite bugs and critters to share with Anythink Huron Street families. Bugs live outside the library, so we'll go on a bug safari to see what we can find. All ages welcome. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

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Frannie K. Stein's Mad Science Lab

Wednesday, July 13, 10-11 am & 1-2 pm

Come to Frannie's mad science lab and hear some stories and do some hands-on science experiments. Don't forget your lab coat! This session is appropriate for student grades 3-7. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

From Photos to Animoto

Wednesday, July 13, 6-7:30 pm

Turn your photos and video clips into a professionally orchestrated video with music and your very own words. Animoto is a web application that allows you to create your own video content. Intermediate computer skills required. All ages welcome. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Sport Stacking

Monday, July 18, 6-7:30 pm

You've seen people doing sport stacking, and may have even tried it yourself. Come and learn the sport of cup stacking and compete in the fast-paced sport. Teams will compete after time to learn and practice. All ages welcome. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Bug Bites

Wednesday, July 20, 3 pm

Discover bug cuisine from cultures around the world and find bugs in our everyday food. Meet live animals that have been on the menu and taste a few buggy treats yourself. Presented by the Butterfly Pavilion. Appropriate for grades 6-12. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Eric West's Music for Kids

Wednesday, July 20, 6-7:30 pm

You've never seen a musician like this one! Eric makes his instrument from junk, but they sound great. Join us in singing silly songs and watching dancing puppets. This will tickle your funny bone, make you want to sing, and want to play an instrument. All ages welcome. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Survival

Wednesday, July 20, 7-8:30 pm

Explore themes from the novel and gain practical knowledge about survival. Come away with your own survival kit. Appropriate for adults.

Anythink Superheroes

Monday, July 25, 6-7:30pm

If you were a superhero, what would your powers be? Now's your chance to create your own identity. Make your own costume and superhero ID card while comparing powers, weaknesses, and archenemies with the rest of the superhero clan. All ages welcome. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

E-Reader Q&A

Tuesday, July 26, 10-11:30 am

Take a look at three different types of e-readers before you buy one. There will be a Kindle, Nook Color, and Sony Reader available for you to play with and ask questions about. All ages welcome. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Mural, Mural on the Wall

Wednesday, July 27, 10-11 am & 1-2 pm

Let your inner artist loose. Work on a collaborative art as a celebration of our last summer project. Dress in appropriate painting clothes and bring your creativity and cooperation skills. This is for students grades 1-6. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Characters with Style

Wednesday, July 27, 3-4 pm

Students from the Aveda Institute will help teens transform into their favorite characters. Want to look like Rose from Vampire Academy? How about the notorious Frankie Landau Banks? Get your own character makeover while we discuss the traits of our favorite heroes and heroines. Appropriate for grades 6-12. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

mySummer Finale

Saturday, July 30, 3-4 pm

Celebrate the end of mySummer, Anythink-style.

Special Programs

Tales to Tails

Saturday, July 16, 10-12 pm

Children in elementary school are invited to read to our wonderful dog volunteers. It's excellent practice for children who are learning to read, need practice reading, or who love dogs. Call the library at 303-452-7534 to make an appointment.

Harry Potter: Stone Secrets Prisoner Fire Phoenix Prince Hallows!

Saturdays July 2, 9, 16, 2-5 pm

Catch up on your Harry Potter narrative at the library every Saturday between now and July 14 when the final Harry Potter movie debuts. This is a family affair with free popcorn and drinks.

Children's Programs

Baby Bounce

Thursdays, 10-10:20 am

Share time with your little one at Anythink Huron with songs, rhymes, and stories for babies and their caregivers. Appropriate for ages birth-23 months. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

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Toddler Tales

Thursdays, 10:30-10:50 am

Spend time with your toddler listening to stories, songs, and finger plays geared just for them. Appropriate for kids ages 2-3. Space is limited; registration required. Please visit our online calendar to register.

Adult Programs

Anythink Works!

Mondays, July 11, 18, 25, 9:30-11:30 am

Are you frustrated and feeling isolated as a job hunter? Join a supportive, networking, and skills-sharing weekly meeting. All career changers are welcome. Refreshments provided.

Mighty Monday Book Club

Monday, July 18, 2-4 pm

The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Society by Mary Ann Schaffer. A letter from a stranger sends journalist Juliet Ashton to the Channel Islands, where she learns the remarkable story of the literary society founded under German occupation during World War II.

Tuesday Tales Book Club

Tuesday, July 19, 2-4 pm

The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks by Rebecca Skloot. This is the story of the “real live woman,” the children who survived her, and the interplay of race, poverty, science and one of the most important medical discoveries of the last 100 years.

All events are free and open to the public. For more information, please call Anythink Huron Street at 303-452-7534; visit the library at 9417 Huron Street, Thornton, CO 80260; or go to anythinklibraries.org.

About Anythink™

Anythink is a new style of library – a place of unlimited imagination, where play inspires creativity and lifelong learning. Rangeview Library District serves the residents of Adams County with seven Anythink libraries and Anythink in Motion – the district’s mobile library – and is one of the recipients of the 2010 National Medal of Museum and Library Service from the Institute of Museum and Library Services. For more information, go to anythinklibraries.org.

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